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PATENT

Docket No. 3333.2.1.3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mark J. Rosenfeld et al.)
Serial No.: 10/718,232)
Filed: November 20, 2003) Art Unit:
For: NOVEL COMPOUNDS FOR USE IN WEIGHT LOSS) 1614
AND APPETITE SUPPRESSION IN HUMANS)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed February 19, 2004 be extended for one (1) month until May 19, 2004.

Form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment in the amount of Fifty-Five Dollars (\$55.00) is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

DATED this 13 day of May, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,



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